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Retail Men's Association Organized

Directors Elected;
Incorporation Papers
Sent to Sacramento

Incorporation papers for Palm Springs Retail Merchants association were on their way to Sacramento today following election of a 13-member board of directors and endorsement of a 10-point platform of the new organization Wednesday night at a meeting at World War Memorial hall.

A campaign to obtain a 100 per cent membership among the 187 eligible merchants of the Village by Fall was launched.

PRESIDING at the session was Leo Baker. He opened the meeting with an explanation of the group's purpose and was followed by Ed Landfield who read the platform outlining the association's goals.

They were listed as:

Formation of a better business bureau.

Prevention of unethical business methods and selling.

Co-operation of all business men in protection of the local merchant against unfair outside competition, peddlers, and the like.

Participation in programs of public events to have a voice in dates and plans.

SATISFACTORY arrangements on use of parking meters, off-street parking for merchants and their crews and widening of Palm Canyon drive.

Formation of a grievance committee including legal counsel and advice to member merchants.

Representation at all council meetings.

Sponsor trade-at-home campaigns, special sales, dollar days and trade boosters.

REPRESENTATION of each of the 17 different types of retail merchandising in the city on the board of directors.

Whole-hearted co-operation with other organizations in the Village—hotel and apartment house men, chamber of commerce, credit bureau and so on, for general advancement of the Village.

ON MOTION of J. A. True the tentative board of directors plus two nominated from the floor, was elected and signed incorporation papers.

They are Leo Baker, Ed Landfield, Edna Bratt, Fred Fulton, Newton Hotchkiss, Kenneth DuBose, George Clarke, Bert Menell, Herman Reich, Wall Spalding, Henry Dobkins, Gladys Denton and Dr. E. M. Whitehouse.

The incorporation papers were prepared by Saul Ruskin, Village attorney.

DISCUSSION from the floor indicated a whole-hearted support of the program and a desire of all to get behind the group.

It was the consensus that individually a merchant would not have much choice, but collectively the merchants could get the things done that they believed would be of the greatest benefit to the Village.

Following Wednesday's meeting the membership committee, headed by Landfield, mapped plans to enlist unsigned merchants in the group and Chairman Baker said that when the new season opens, the Retail Merchants association will be a full-fledged functioning body.



Tram Costs Will be Fixed Next Month

Gordon Bannerman, chief engineer for the American Steel and Wire Corp., who was chief engineer in charge of the preliminary tramway survey here during the past, will be a Village visitor during the first week of June, according to Earl Coffman who conferred with Bannerman last week in the east.

Bannerman's visit will be occasioned by another trip over the proposed tramway route accompanied by estimators from his own and other companies for the purpose of establishing a figure of costs for tramway bids.

Coffman believes the bonds for the enterprise, which will be tax-free, will not be difficult to dispose of for the commencement of early construction on the project.

"By inquiries we have received on this (proposed tramway project, to be the largest of its kind in the world) we of the Mt. San Jacinto Winter Park Authority feel the bonds will be gone within two or three months from date of issue," Coffman said yesterday.

Welfare Group Closes Season

Welfare and Friendly Aid held its last meeting of the season Wednesday at the Health Center and spent the meeting time in closing up the season's business in preparation for the summer vacation.

It was announced that the organization had received a check of \$75 from the Business Women's club as a result of that group's sale of Zany Hats and bonnets prior to and during Circus week, receipt for which was given with thanks to the business women.

The welfare group will discontinue all activities until about mid-September when it will reconvene for the winter season of activities.

Fire Facilities To be Surveyed

City Manager William Alworth announced to the city council this week that in accordance with the civic improvement program item regarding additional fire protection for the Village there would be one or two engineers from the board of fire underwriters here soon to inspect and recommend additional fire facilities for the city.

This Side Of the Sun

By Phat

LINES TO MAY PLUS JUNE

The people we feel sorry for Are those who didn't know the score

And went away too soon Now, May is really doing fine So, maybe we can add this line

Why not a chance on June?

This May weather reminds me of the pastor who was hurrying to a wedding in a taxi . . . A tire went boom . . . The taxi driver struggled with it but the tire just wouldn't slip off the wheel . . . Many bad words polluted the air until the minister finally said: "Instead of that foul language, why not try a prayer?" . . . The exasperated cabbie muttered something about trying anything once and prayed for the wheel to go on . . . It did with ease . . . The preacher stood a second, then said: "Well, I'll be darned" . . . That's the way I feel about May . . . Have been preaching "Stay Through May" for several years . . . But this beautiful weather makes me think: "I'll be darned" only not with ministerial restraint.

ALL YOU HAVE to do in Palm Springs is wish for things . . . See THIS SIDE, Page 8

Consider Later Date for Proposed Tramway Jaunt

The proposed ride up San Jacinto and about the tramway route, originally set for June 4-5, may be postponed for week or so, according to Harry Harper, in charge of the group.

"This is being considered for two reasons," Harper said yesterday.

"In the first place, the cool weather lately has prevented the melting of the snow and we are not sure but what we shouldn't give it another week to achieve

better riding conditions . . . But most of all, we would like to accompany Gordon Bannerman on his official inspection of the area and it is our understanding he will not arrive here until the first or second week of June," he concluded. Bannerman is the chief engineer in charge of the tramway survey who will make the last survey trip accompanied by estimators of the project, as noted elsewhere in today's issue.

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RECEIVE AWARDS—Joyce Decker and Hilton McCabe receive award from Carl Lykken of Library board for first honors in young artists exhibit (top) Dorothy Baer (lower) librarian presents Zell Mae Bolton with award in junior high group. (Earl O'Day Photos.)

Prizes Awarded Younger Artists by Library Board

Prizes were awarded student artists from elementary, junior high and high school at ceremonies at Welwood Murray Public Library where the work of the young painters is now on exhibition.

The exhibit, work of school artists, has attracted much attention in the past few days.

Carl G. Lykken of the Library board made the awards Monday to Joyce Decker of the high school group and to Hilton McCabe of the elementary group.

Zella Mae Bolton, winner in the junior high group, was unable to be present Monday and

received her award from Dorothy Baer, librarian, the next day.

Miss Decker represented the art classes of Andrew Lester at the high school. McCabe is a student of Helen Knipping in the grade schools as is Miss Bolton.

The exhibit was sponsored by the Welwood Murray Library with the co-operation of Allied Artists. Receiving honorable mention for their work were Marilou Troy and Corinne Crosley in the high school group, Shirley Dunlap in the Junior high group and Barbara Hobbs in the elementary display.

It's the big party of the Spring season, a last get-together of all the people in the area before the summer overtakes everyone and many leave town.

Milt Hicks, president of the chamber, said it is going to have features appealing to everyone—eats, drinks, soft and hard-games, entertainment, amusements, and most of all, dancing to the incomparable dancé rhythms of the Ennis aggregation.

A committee of 22 men has been working diligently to polish off all phases of the party for patron enjoyment. The group of men will hold a last-minute get-together tomorrow at the hall

City Approves Plans for Use Of School Pool

Plans for the use of the high school swimming pool for public use during the summer months were formulated at the city council meeting this week at the behest of Acting Superintendent Arthur G. Hoff.

According to Dr. Hoff the use of the pool would necessitate five employees—director, two lifeguards and two locker room attendants—and would cost approximately \$4800 for three months. It was suggested by him that the city share half the cost.

On the other hand, it was estimated that there would be approximately \$2400 income during that period for a net cost of \$2400, leaving the city's share of \$1200 in cost.

The city legislators decided to "give it a try" to see how the first few weeks worked out and if there were not enough public response the pool would be closed.

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a short time and he is going to need a lot of beautiful girls such as were entered in the Amvets beauty contest here recently.

Expenses will be paid to girls; each will receive prints of all pictures in which they are photographed; they will have the facilities of more than 300 garments to wear supplied by Betty Jones who represents the California Clothing manufacturers.

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Capital Likes
Village Dates

The chamber of commerce this week was in receipt of two let-

ters from Washington, D. C., both thanking the chamber and the Desert Garden Date Shop for more than 500 packages of dates used at a congressional secre-
etary party and at the annual meeting of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

One letter was from H. F. John-
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local chamber) and the other
was from Congressman Carl Hin-
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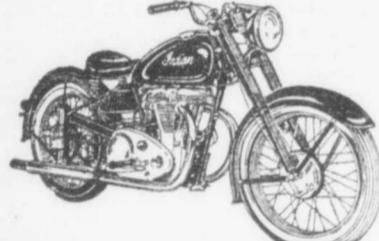
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Mrs. Henderson Elected to Head Legion Auxiliary

Regular meeting of Owen Coffman Unit No. 519 American Legion auxiliary was held on Tuesday with President Mrs. Jay Morrison in charge.

Committee chairman gave interesting reports on activities during the past year. Some \$600 was raised and this has been expended in caring for veteran cases and hospitalized veterans. Various members had devoted many hours to public services and seven aged persons had been given baskets at Christmas.

The election of officers followed and Mrs. Ed Hadden who had been nominated for president announced her withdrawal as she and her husband were returning to their home in Kansas, Missouri. Mrs. Charles Henderson and Mrs. George Kremer were nominated and the election favored Mrs. Henderson as head of the group for the ensuing year. Mrs. Henderson has had many opportunities to know the program of the Auxiliary for she has been Child Welfare Chairman and has also been a member of several committees.

Other officers elected were: first vice president, Mrs. C. Ranier; second vice president, Mrs. J. M. Dunsorth; recording secretary, Mrs. Leon Oliver; corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. W. Richards; treasurer, Mrs. H. H. Menard. Members of the executive committee are Mrs. Robert Ellsworth, Mrs. J. J. Follansbee and Mrs. Herbert Allen. The in-

Water Men Seek Aid in Congress

Coachella Valley water men were in Washington today to appeal to the Senate Appropriations Committee for more funds for the completion of the All-American Canal system.

The house appropriations committee lopped a million dollars off President Harry Truman's request for \$6,000,000 for the project. The Coachella Valley County Water district had asked for \$8,000,000.

Directors of the district said the house's cut in the funds may mean a year's delay on two water distribution units previously scheduled for early construction.

Installation of the new officers will be staged Tuesday May 31 at the War Memorial Building and all members are urged to be present.

Preston has been here for a total of nearly six weeks on the project.

Palm Desert Sunbeams

By Edith Eddy Ward

In case anyone wondered why Palm Desert and Palm Village were in darkness for several hours one evening last week, you can blame it all on the man who owns the little Ercoupe and parks it in front of his house every night. He was flying home for dinner about dusk when he claims the electric wires came up and met him and tangled up in the propeller as he was coming in over the Club for a landing. A Gremlin must have raised the elevation of the wires because he has been landing in that same spot for months and they have never been that high before. Anyway, he made a perfect landing (wires and all), taxied up to his house and ate his dinner in darkness, as did everyone else in the area. His only comment was that Palm Desert was getting too populated—they were spoiling his landing field with too many houses, electric wires and things.

It seems the popular thing around Palm Desert these days is to become a grandparent. The latest grandpa and grandma are

Carl and Edna Henderson. A 7 pound, 7 ounce baby boy was born to their daughter, Joan on Friday the 13th, in the Riverside hospital. The name is Kenneth Carl Crawford—Casey for short. Both are doing fine and will be home tomorrow.

The Tommy Tomsons, who became grandparents last week, are moving in huge palm trees and planting them at the "Hot Rocks." This sounds simple, but it is a feat that only a famous landscape architect like Tommy would ever dream up or undertake. The "Hot Rocks" is their hideaway located on a ridge high above Palm Desert in the Santa Rosa range and the whole area is covered with rocks and more rocks, from small ones the size of an orange to huge boulders the size of a house. In order to plant even a small tree, it is necessary to move boulders to find any soil. It will be interesting to watch, but if anyone can do it Tommy Tomson can, as he is the man who is responsible for such famous landscape designs as the Santa Anita race track, the Mission Inn at Riverside, the Los Angeles Union Station and the Shadow Mountain Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Bailey, son of Richard Bailey, Palm Desert property owner, celebrated their third wedding anniversary with a cocktail party at the Tropical Gardens and dinner at Shadow Mountain Club last week. The young Baileys are spending a month at Palm Desert.

Leife Erickson also celebrated an anniversary—her birthday, but we won't say which one, as she will be leaving us soon. Come July 1 and she will be off to South America to marry Nick Crosley who is the Engineer in charge of building an earth filled dam for the Columbian Government. Leife has been Cliff Henderson's secretary since Palm Desert was just a dream in Cliff's mind and, in her own quiet way, has played quite a part in the success of the project.

The Sam Braders of La Jolla visited Palm Desert for the first time since the opening of the Club. Mr. Bradner is vice-president of Ryan Aircraft. He was high in his praise of what has been accomplished in the last year and remarked that many of their La Jolla friends are planning to spend more time at Palm Desert next season, as it is only a three hour drive over the mountains via the Anza road.

Other members and guests

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The Sun Shines for Shriner

On the front page of last Friday's Desert Sun, May 13, there was an article on the loss of a Shriner's Consistory ring during the preceding convention, by Mrs. Max Rappaport of San Pedro.

On May 15 a telegram was sent to the address given in the news article as follows: "Have ring that fits your description. Contact me at War Housing, Apt. 125, N. Calle Encilia, Palm Springs." Signed by Walter Morrissey.

The next morning Morrissey received a Western Union message: "Expect me this afternoon."

So goes the power of the press.

Disaster Council Plans Completed Says Peterson

Robert W. Peterson, executive director in charge of the Palm Springs Disaster Council, this week announced that the plans for organization plus the necessary "paper work" had all been completed for the formation of an active organization in this area in the event of any type of disaster, man-made or natural.

Based on the Red Cross council set of plans, the functioning of the council will be the integration of nine different divisions. These are divided as follows: law and order, fire, medical, public works, utilities, communications, transportation, Red Cross, and personnel and recruiting.

With the thought that there will be no actual physical structure of this organization until fall, Peterson is now ready to

select personnel for the key positions in each of the divisional groupings.

"I am especially interested in the acquiring of a man or woman who can handle the entire job of integrating the various divisions for close functioning," he said. "This will consist of a great deal of work in planning, recruiting of key personnel and will take a lot of time. It is essential the person selected have had some experience in this type of work so that a smooth functioning organization will be ready and available by next fall for our disaster preparedness program," he concluded.

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Air Force Backs Village Protest On Route of 111

City council was given new endorsement in its efforts to obtain re-routing of the proposed Highway 111 by-pass this week when communications were received from the United States Air Force and the Public Works Administration relative to crippling of airport facilities by the present alignment.

"The integrity of airport facilities should be maintained," the air force wrote City Manager W. E. Alworth. The same thought was expressed by the PWA.

The city has protested the alignment of Highway 111 which would cut across portion of the airport. State Highway Commissioners agreed to a re-survey when a delegation of Villagers headed by Mayor Charles Farrell protested in Sacramento.

The by-pass is intended to divert through traffic from Palm Canyon drive, relieving the crowded condition of that thoroughfare during the height of the season.

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FOR POPPY DAY—City employees who served their country during the war in the various branches of the service, rallied at the city hall this week to endorse the American Legion Auxiliary's Poppy Day drive and to pledge full support. Shown is the group photographed at the city hall.

City Employees Endorse Legion Poppy Day Sale

An enthusiastic group of city employees, all of whom have served their country, pledged their support to the annual Poppy Day program of the American Legion Auxiliary in a rally at the city hall this week.

Mrs. E. J. Haddon, local Poppy Day chairman, presented veteran-made poppy to each following a brief talk in which she told of the two-way features of the drive.

The poppies are made by hospitalized veterans, many of whom have great difficulty in

the work because of their handicaps. Each man receives pay for the poppies he makes, so the red crepe paper flower is a source of actual money income to the bedridden veterans. That is the official remembrance flower of the American Legion and Auxiliary is called to mind by the fact that a bowl of poppies is part of the ceremony of every regular meeting of the organization.

The work of disposing of the poppies is the major responsibility of the Auxiliary and these women and their helpers will be on the streets on Thursday May 26 which is the day set by National Council of the American Legion for the sale of the little red crepe paper flowers. The receipts of the sales goes for rehabilitation work among the veterans.

Following the rally the group posed for photographs and City Clerk Louise McCann handed Mrs. Haddon the permit necessary for the street sale of poppies expressing her pleasure in being asked to participate in the program.

City employees, veterans of the services, present at the occasion were: Karen Bidwell, R. W. Peterson, Charles Woodman, Warren Slaughter, Donald Noble, Howard Metcalf, Harry Hill, William Lux, Durman Ordway, James Maynard, John Herrera, Edward Greene, Howard Poe, Robert White, Warren Hockenberry, Carl Ray Youngberg, Warren Empey, Harrison M. Elliott, Clarence Jaime, Benjamin Prieto, Sylvester Torres, Herbert Salazar, Thomas Avila and A. Valesquez.

California Indians Win Right to Sue Uncle Sam

A letter sent to the Honorable Clair Engle, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. early last month by the Indians of California, Inc., has borne fruit, according to word received this week.

On May 6, the government's "motion to dismiss" a suit brought against it on the grounds that the Indians of California are not an "identifiable group of Indians," was overruled with the result that the Indians of California are now allowed to sue for their rights.

Because there have been several groups of petitioners from California in Washington to advance Indian rights, the department of interior, regarding Indian affairs, has been confused, it was said.

With the ruling by the Indian Claims Commission the various groups of Indians will now work together for the advancement of Indian affairs. The suit of the Indians of California will now be known as "Clyde F. Thompson, et al., Members, and as the Representatives of, and on behalf of the Indians of California; petitioners, vs. The United States of America, defendant."

Generally, the present suit for

the Indians of California is for the value of the property owned and possessed by them as of July 4, 1848.

The petition claims that the Indians were in possession of all the lands that now comprise the State of California.

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Super-Duper Tunnel Just Fabulous Myth Says Sullivan

That tunnel north of here is a pipe, all right, but a pipe dream.

District Highway Engineer E. Q. Sullivan blasted it this week in a letter to county supervisors.

He said there is going to be no super-duper tunnel built under the mountains from Morongo Valley to Parker, setting at rest a rumor current in the 29 Palms area of a new highway outlet to the east.

SULLIVAN NOTIFIED supervisors that current stories have it that the state is planning a huge bore under the mountains to divert Highway 60 traffic through that area and that he has already received one complaint from a woman who bought land near the purported portal of the tunnel to establish a motel.

Sullivan said the whole thing is a fabulous myth.

SUCH A TUNNEL would be the most expensive one ever built and would cost nearly as much as the whole state highway system put together, he said.

"One woman telephoned me long distance to advise me she had gone into escrow to buy a desert auto court site at the portal of the tunnel for \$30,000. I told her to report it to her real

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1949 to See Big Boom in Homes

More than 12% of the World War II veterans who have achieved home ownership during the postwar period with the help of credit aids provided in the GI Bill are residents of California, the Veterans Administration has reported.

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Branch of State Job Office Here

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Marvin Hughes, manager of the Indio office of the California department of Unemployment, was a Palm Springs visitor last week and said that establishment of a branch office here had been discussed but that the high cost of suitable quarters had prevented any steps toward action.

He said that at present an average of 1000 persons weekly is drawing unemployment insurance benefits of between \$20,000 and \$25,000 weekly at the Indio office which covers the area including Blythe and Palm Springs. In addition, 238 veterans are drawing \$52.50 funds.

Last week 85 persons reported they had lost their jobs and 1334 were on the waiting rolls for benefits.

Move to establish an office here is based on the distance local applicants have to travel weekly to receive benefits and to aid in placing local residents in local jobs when they are available. A legitimate claim for unemployment insurance includes the willingness of the applicant to work and his availability.

Co-operation on the part of em-

ployers in notifying the office when people leave jobs is also essential, Hughes said. He maintains a staff to check on applicants to stop racketeers before they can get started.

Tom Holland Gets Back Into Harness as Bond Chairman

Tom M. Holland has been appointed chairman of the Palm Springs area for the 1949 Spring U. S. Savings Bonds "Opportunity Drive" which started throughout the nation this first of this week and will continue through June 30.

The announcement of the appointment was made this week by Joseph S. Bordwell of Riverside, chairman of the Riverside County Committee, and by J. M. Johnson, also of Riverside, advisory vice-chairman of the county committee for the drive.

EVERY WAGE EARNER can assist in the drive, said Holland. "America was built by the thrift of its citizens. Not better encouragement to thrift can be found than by steady investment in the world. Employees can buy through the Payroll Savings Plan. Self-employed may utilize the Bond-A-Month Plan offered by the banks. Invest in Savings Bonds and take advantage of the opportunity for thrift and security."

During the war Holland was chairman of U. S. bond drives so successfully that each time they went far over their goal, once quadrupling the mark set for the Village by the treasury department.

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The department's present was a crib. Individual gifts from members of the department filled a large table.

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Wandering About With Mari

By Marjorie Grant Pohl

I Saw: Babies, buffets, bridge, luau, fish fry, and indoor and outdoor dinners all a part to this week's social swirl.

Saturday night was strictly a fun evening whether you joined the blue jean, "sit on the grass and eat corn and trout group" at the fish fry, or the crowd who trekked down Salton Sea way to the Desert Beach Club to try as many as possible of the thirty eight dishes they included in their luau, or took in one of the "no blue jeans" cocktail parties that were flowing about town.

ANITA HASKELL JONES was among those who gathered a sea faring gang and cruised down to the Salton Sea to spend the evening lauding, crushing about the sun on the cruiser the Catcher's Mit (complete with moon) and dancing to the strains of an orchestra which previously played at the Royal Hawaiian in Honolulu... ANITA'S party honored ONA BROWN, who is back in Palm Springs for a few days from Santa Barbara where she has been, when not in New York... Those JONESES do stick together, whether related or not, so naturally REG and HELEN JONES were among the sea goers as were MR. and MRS. ELMO LEE, former Honolulu residents who now call Palm Springs home, ED WALTERS of Balboa (who was escorting ANITA)—he had deserted his own Yacht for a few days in the desert but couldn't keep away from the salt breezes, DIANE SHULTZ, SWEDD and STELLA DAVIS, MR. and MRS. CHARLES POTTS, cute JOVANNA JONES, and MR. and MRS. ARTHUR BRUDVIK... Other Villagers with the Salton Sea idea of fun that evening included ROMA and BILL MARVIN (late 'cause they took in part of the fish fry) DOROTHY EPLING, Rancho Migraine's HOWARD and LUCILLE (MORRISON) BURDICK, and the WILLIAM (SLEEPY) CARTERS.

When it comes to delectable trout and fresh corn on the cob you can't beat the Sportsman's Annual Fish Fry as this year's party again proved... there still seemed to be the same startling number of beer and Coke (once had a letter from one of the executives of that company telling us to capitalize the "C") bottles placed gaily about the green for unsuspecting corn fed funsters to trip over when 'twas time to go home—or on to the nearest liquid dispenser!... of course there were only about eight hundred people there so we can give you the name of each one NOT—regardless, did see the EARL HOUGHS, JOE and MOYA HENDERSON, and TOM and BETTY KIELEY among those being different and eating off the siren equipped jeep—which naturally a curious town character (no doubt) had to discover—result, funsters looking under grass blades for the fire... MRS. PERRY JOHNSON was there, as were the TED REEDS with twins JOAN and PETER, the JACQUES (Smoke Tree) CROMMELINS with the JOHN LUCCARENI and ROY GAMMILL, artist JEANNE COUTTS, the C. of C. praise man BILL DUNKERLEY and his MRS., the KEN DUBOIS, MRS. HOMER MCKEE, the WILSON GIBBS, the PURNELLS and MOSELEYs and hundreds of others.

Baby CYNTHIA GRACE KIRK brought on the shower that VICKI MALOUF gave for her (Cynthia's) mother HELEN KIRK on Thursday... gathered in the patio for delicious luncheon and to shower the arrival of the new KIRK member were some twenty-four of her village friends. Included in the group were MRS. MALOUF'S houseguests MRS. BLANCHE BAGNALL (back from her Mexican jaunt) and MRS. KATHRYN WILLIAMS also of the city of Angels... Also present were the MESDAMES JAMES WHITEHORN, ALBERT PECK, HELEN LLOYD, MARGO TYLER, KENNETH COLBORN, REED HUBBELL, HAROLD MURPHY, JOHN COSTELLO, WALTER MCNAMEE, GEORGE WHEELER, JOHN MCCLURE, ED FALLIGREN, LENA ROGERS, OLIVER JAYNES, JOHN BALLARD, EARL CORDREY, ROBERT RANSOM, WILLIAM TALBOT and EFFIE BANKS, and the MISSES MURIEL FULTON and LEE ANDERSON. And for once in our lives that a complete list instead of an "among those present"... Whoops that's not quite true, but who ever heard of a columnist putting their own name in print?

The KEN KIRKS themselves were hosts Sunday at the first of a series of Sunday night buffet parties that they are tossing in their new playroom... MR. and MRS. CLARENCE BROWN (he is the director) were present with MRS. HARRY HAYDEN and MRS. M. M. LITTLE of Louisiana (the state where Brown just completed filming his newest picture) as were HAROLD and CAROLINE HICKS, the CULVER NICHOLS, DR. and MRS. JAMES OLIVER, BARNEY and BARBARA HINKLE, the FRANK PURCELLS, the COLIN McARTHURS, and MR. and MRS. CHARLES McCANN.

Babies held the center of the stage at the ETTA FOSTER home as well this week when ETTA's daughter-in-law MRS. WILLIAM FOSTER gave not one but two parties there... Monday 'twas a first birthday party for the Foster's pride and joy ANGELA that saw LORILEE and DANDY LYON birthday cake eating as well as BARBARA MORRISON and her cute BOBBY, TRUDY HALL and baby JERRY, RAYMA JEAN MUTASCIO and CHRISTINE, NORMA SMITH and MISS FRANCES WHITE and her mother... Thursday night MRS. FOSTER combined with BARBARA (MRS. RUSSELL "LES" COMBS) to give a baby shower for HELEN (MRS. HARRY) TOUCHFARBER who will welcome her blessed event in July... both MRS. COMBS' and MRS. TOUCHFARBER's mothers were present as of course was MRS. ETTA FOSTER... there were MARY SMITH, MARY CORNMAN, ELSA CHAMBERS, DOTTIE GROTH, ORA WINDHURST, HELEN SCHMUCK, WANDA RICHARDS, MRS. CARL BARRETT and a number of others.

DINING OUT SECTION... Bank of America's MR. and MRS. MARIO GIANNINI at the Doll House with long time villager ZADIE BUNKER, MISS ANN GIANNINI, MR. and MRS. BERNARD GIANNINI and MR. CIPIRE (retired foreign exchange manager of Bank of America)... famed "Lost Week-end" actor RAY MILLAND dropping in late Sunday evening... PAUL TROUSDALE with MR. and MRS. HARRY REID and MR. and MRS. RUSSELL WADE... incidentally PAUL and RUSS are just back from a business trip that took them to New York, Washington, Florida and Havana... don't see why we never manage business trips... AL JOLSON is dining at the Dunes with LOUIS "EPPY" EPSTEIN. MR. JOLSON is just back from New York tree... a solitary dinner there, putting a nickel into the record player for his favorite record "Comme Ca," octogenarian CLARENCE WOOLLEY, making up a merry party MR. and MRS. SAMMY SONTAG with MR. and MRS. JOE BIGELOW (he writes the Spike Jones show) the CHARLES FINEMANS, SAM STEIN of New York, and Warner Brother's writer BORDEN CHASE who did "Red River"... That was MURIEL MADDOX, New York stage actress with DOUG ANDERSON, TOM TOWERS, former village newspaperman now with the L.A. Examiner dining with BILL BOGESS... Across the street a merry crowd trying out the Chi Chi's new dance floor... caught a glimpse of many times "I do" actress ARLENE JUDGE there with a party of friends... ditto artist BOB DALEY... CHAREL DE THOMEE chating with friends so busily that we didn't get a chance to ask him if he would be concert touring in Europe again this summer or just vacationing... JIMMIE DUGAN former village resident turned actor paused in front of the Chi Chi, no doubt about to step inside... JOHNNY RYAN, son of THELMA DAVIS of the Colonial House dining with the BILL O'BRIENS... MRS. MARTIN ZALUD and the BILL JOHNSONS strolling into the Doll House... same spot MR. and MRS. JACK SCHNIPPER... MR. and MRS. NORMAN HATCH of San Francisco at the Palm House... the WILLIAM DEANS at the Town and Country, ditto NEWTON HOTCHKISS and FLORIAN BOYD.

LEE and MURIEL BERING, who move to Laguna this week, invited a few of their friends in for cocktails Sunday evening and followed up with an end of the season dinner at their nighter which closed for the season that evening... MR. and MRS. SHELTON McHENRY, who own the "Tail 'o the Cock" were among their guests as were MR. and MRS. FRED CLAMPTET, MR. and MRS. EASTMAN MARKELL, MARJORIE MUNTZ, MILTON HICKS, and MR. and MRS. TORR REED with whom the McHENREYS are house-guesting... at the same night spot that evening was GWENN WILSON, ditto GLADYS DENTON who was escorted by not one but two men... MR. and MRS. TOM LYON were with WILLIS LANE, BETTY MEANS and MR. and MRS. JIM KENASTON.

But one of the many small parties of the week was the one hosted by BILL BOGESS for DR. and MRS. ROBERT MORREY, MARY NELSON who but recently jaunted to Paris with JACQUELINE COCHRAN, WINIFRED WOOD and BARBARA and BARNEY HINKLE... the gathering was for a delightful dinner party.

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The Earl Cordreys and Gavin Herberts were co-hosts Saturday evening when they entertained in the garden of the Cordrey's attractive new Colony Apartments on South Cahillia road.

Gathered on the lawn among the hundred or more mutual friends of the two couples were the Kenneth Kirks, making one of their rare appearances since the arrival of little Cynthia Grace, whom they are reluctant to leave even for a party, Hazel and Albert Peck, the Jack Gorhams, Ken Colborn, Jr., home for a week-end before final exams at Claremont, with his parents, the Kenneth Colborns, and the Ed Fallgrens.

Also Mrs. Beth Scott, over from Ingleside where she is vacationing for a month from her home in San Diego, the George Wheelers, Vicki and Billie Malouf, Bill Banmerman with Lee Anderson, the Robert Ransoms, Harold and Caroline Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bogert, the Stewart and Roger Williams, and Charles Gentry with his mother, down from Los Angeles for a week-end on the desert.

With Dr. and Mrs. John Costello were their houseguests, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Nolan, Joan and Walter McNamee, Tony Burke, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Morrey, the Barney Hinkles, Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Staley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bailey, Mrs. Darsie Lloyd, the Bill Grants, John Woods, Fred Ingrams and Ida and Newton Hotchkiss.

Roy Randolph was there to say goodbye before leaving early the next morning for the east. Ed McCoubrey, Dr. Frank Purcell, Mrs. Howe Foster of Seattle, guest at the Colony, the Keith Herberts and Frances and Burnham Bigelow with their house-

guests Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walden of Ho-Ho-Kus, New Jersey.

The fish fry was a goodly gathering as it always is. In just a few moments that it took to wade up and for once didn't have to drag the blankets out of storage—they were ready and waiting—but we draw the line at having to haul ashes out of the fireplace again even though a fire these nights would be rather cozy.

Not being the real intelligent types we chose last Sunday to go off on an excursion to add wild flower specimen to Junior's growing collection and the Banning road to Idyllwild proved a fruitful spot although the mire got the best of us. However this will be one of the most scenic routes up the hill when the road is finally completed and the manzanita blossoms, the hazy blues of the wild lilacs and lavender of yerba santa and splotchy, brilliant yellow of the tree poppies are worth going to see. A little later the azaleas and dogwood will be flowering up Dark Canyon way which makes a fine Sunday jaunt.

Much more intrepid were Jane Neel, Billie and Hutch Moseley and Henry King who took off the beaten track at Cabazon and headed straight up the fire break in a jeep. A little cold and just a little wet they managed to get through all right though they had to dismount a few times and literally carry the jeep over wash outs. Although this all sounds just a little on the balmy side there was method in their madness as they were checking the trails for the coming Los Compadres pack trip.

Helen and Bob Chambers, returning from a week-end in Vista had their wind shield wipers go out on them at Hemet and proceeded from there home with their heads out the windows. In almost worse straits were the Bill Masons who were making the trip back from La Jolla Sunday evening and had their lights fail them with nary a garage or station available for miles. It sure is wonderful to get back to the desert and we wonder sometimes why we ever bother to leave.

Of interest this week is the story of a little dog, Victor by name, who has been lost since May 1 and was found this weekend at Laguna. On the day he disappeared, Victor had been on his way to Indio with his mistress Mrs. Elizabeth Hovey and when her son stopped for gas at Palm Village the dog must have gotten out of the car to stretch. The Hoveys were almost to Indio before he was missed and a quick turnaround and an all day search of the environs did not bring Victor to light. With her daughter, Alice Hough, Mrs.

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Cholly Springs

Perhaps it isn't in the province—or the country—for Cholly Springs to get on a palm-fringed soap box, on account of this column practically being in its infancy. But because it is in its infancy, the scornful reader can excuse it as just drooling.

But after last week's weather in southern California, especially in Los Angeles and its environs, we can't understand why the sudden urge for people to pack up and leave Palm Springs at this time.

May is notoriously an overcast, wet and sinus-troubling month in L.A. and all along the coast, while the Springs offers some of its nicest climate, really through-out June.

We'd think people would read the weather report in the Desert Sun and realize how much better off they are to bask in the desert, rather than rushing back to town or flying East where late Spring is always a capricious time.

Of course, one cannot blame the citizenry. Too many of the local clubs and resorts lead the way, so that there is very little to do and no place to do it.

At the risk of being presumptuous, we'd like to suggest to the Racquet Club, the Tennis Club, the Desert Inn, Rancho Et Cetera, Et Cetera, that they try staying open, just one season, promote the idea of "Spending

There were the Byron Cains

Frank and Melba Bennett of Deep Well Guest ranch are taking off May 28 on the Queen Elizabeth for Europe to spend the summer.

They plan to do a little fishing in England and Scotland, look over the big cities on the continent and return to the Village in October.

While overseas Mrs. Bennett proposes to visit Parliament in London and the French House of Deputies to study the governmental proceedings.

Hovey made the rounds of the neighborhood for several days inquiring about her pet but no one had seen him and after a week of no results resigned herself to the fact that the dog was gone. Then on Saturday came word that a dog had been found at Shadow Mountain Club and the people who lived in Laguna were anxious to find its owners. In an hour or so Mrs. Hovey was on her way to Laguna where one little black dog was overjoyed to find his mistress again. The Paul Schwebergs of Palm Desert had befriended the little animal when they found it under their car, lost and hungry but after three days they were obliged to leave for the beach and hated to leave him behind without care so they took him along. Victor is home and very glad to be there even though he enjoyed the change to beach air for a few days.

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who bought the beautiful Bigelow house, Billy and Vicki Malouf, who are so smart about taking advantage of this weather, Mr. and Mrs. George Strebe, who keep their Doll House open, and the hospitable William Talbots who just keep open house.

Incidentally the Talbots, who just returned from Arrowhead Hot Springs are expecting the Sascha Lautmans down this weekend because the famous artist, who was resident artist at the Vatican for three years, is coming down to put the final coat of glaze on that wonderful portrait he did of the Talbots' stunning children, Judith Lee and William Chalonier.

Who says it's quiet in town?

That outdoor cocktail party the Earl Cordreys gave in collaboration with the Gavin Herberts brought out just about everyone!

It was a gay evening at the attractive Colony and cool enough so that the array of lovely women had a chance to sport their colorful sport coats!

Shifting Sands: J. Carroll Naish, the Hollywood star is so proud of his daughter Elaine, who caught a large tortoise in the garden and brought it over to the Tennis Club as a mascot for the youngsters...

While we were luxuriously sunning ourselves by the crystal pool, the Tennis Sportsmen gave it really something. We can still taste that delicious trout and the frothy beer we made it swim in...

but not one of the prominent fishermen present has anything on the Tennis Club's Lee (Merle Oberon). Anderson, who caught six of the Club's prize trout—they're leaving now, too—and then took them home to clean.

Lee is still getting the scales out of her midnight tresses...

That was top detective popular Jimmy Ellis of Los Angeles who was holding hands with socialite Barbara Clampett Jones at the Shadow Mountain Club's pool. Here's another spot that is

staying open all season—we seem to have the idea on our brain—and we wouldn't be surprised if Cliff Henderson surprised all the skeptics. Let's hope so!

Mystery of the week: What

beautiful young star, who was

at the Palm House with actor

Lew Ayres, is really pining for her elderly titled admirer who has just departed for Europe?

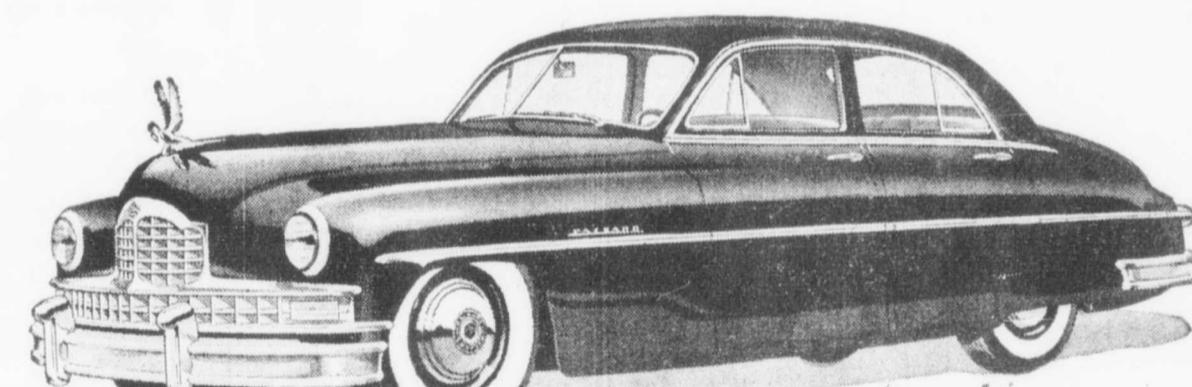


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Searls in Lead In Comedy Role At Chaffey Show

James G. Searls, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Truex of Rancho Mirage, will have the comedy lead in "Ye Gods, A Woman" a musical comedy to be presented at Chaffey College, Ontario, it was announced today. Searls, who is majoring in law at Chaffey, graduated from Palm Springs High School where he had leads in "HMS Pinafore" and the senior play in 1947.

Chaffey College Symphonic Choir which has been touring southern California this Spring under the direction of S. Earle Blakeslee, will present a homecoming concert of popular, sacred, and classical music, and

following the concert will be presented a musical comedy with a wealth of musical and dancing talent. The performance will be at the Chaffey Civic Auditorium on Thursday evening only, May 26 at 8:15 p. m.

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Examinations will mark the days of next week until Thursday when school work will practically be over for the year.

Thursday night in the open-air patio of the school, diplomas will go to the eighth graders who will be ready for high school next fall.

George Manington, principal of Nellie N. Coffman school, has arranged an excellent program for the evening and scores of parents and friends are expected to be in attendance at 7:30 when the program starts.

Student speakers will be heard on the program with Sheldon Arnold and Barbara Dunn to deliver the final talks.

At Friday morning's assembly awards will go to the students who have won them in various school activities.

Then, following final work of the school year the doors will close for the youngsters until next September.

Valedictorian will be Barbara Jones and Salutatorian will be Sandra Veano.

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The final week of school will not be all fun, however, for the final hurdle in the scholastic course for seniors is scheduled Wednesday and Thursday when final examinations are in order.

FRIDAY MORNING at special assembly the senior class will officially turn over the school to the juniors—seniors of next year. The class will and prophecy will be read and traditional ceremonies of moving up day held.

Brandon Rimmer will be the speaker of the evening at the school patio next Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

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Education, Topic Of Rev. Hogarth Sunday Morning

The Rev. Robert M. Hogarth, rector, will preach Sunday morning in St. Paul's in the Desert at 9:45 and 11:00 a. m. on "The Goal of Education." It being the Sunday before commencement, members of the graduating class of Nellie N. Coffman Junior high school will be welcome.

The Episcopal Convocation of this district will meet on Monday, May 23, in Trinity church, Redlands, beginning with Holy Communion at 10:00 a. m., with the Rt. Rev. Donald J. Campbell, Bishop Suffragan as the celebrant and the Rt. Rev. Francis E. Bloy, Bishop of the Diocese as preacher. There will be addresses by both bishops and a round table discussion of parish schools. The number of parish grammar schools in the diocese is steadily increasing.

All Palm Springs parishioners, both men and women, as well as visiting church people, are welcome to attend. Adjournment promptly at 3:00 p. m. If transportation is desired, call the church office, 26988.

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To Honor Grads At Community Church Sunday

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At the morning service at 11

o'clock special recognition will be given to members of the class which is being graduated from the Nellie Coffman Junior high school. Seats will be reserved for all the eighth graders who are either members or friends of the Community church. Rev. Blackstone will speak on "God's Counsel to Youth." The Chancel choir will sing "Thy Word is a Light" by Morgan. A nursery is con-

ducted during the morning service for the care of small children. Parents are urged to come and take advantage of this service provided by the church.

At 6:15 p. m. the combined groups of Junior high, Senior high and Young Adults will meet in the ladies parlor to see pictures of Forest Home. Junior high and Senior high young people will have a Buccaneer's banquet at 6:30.

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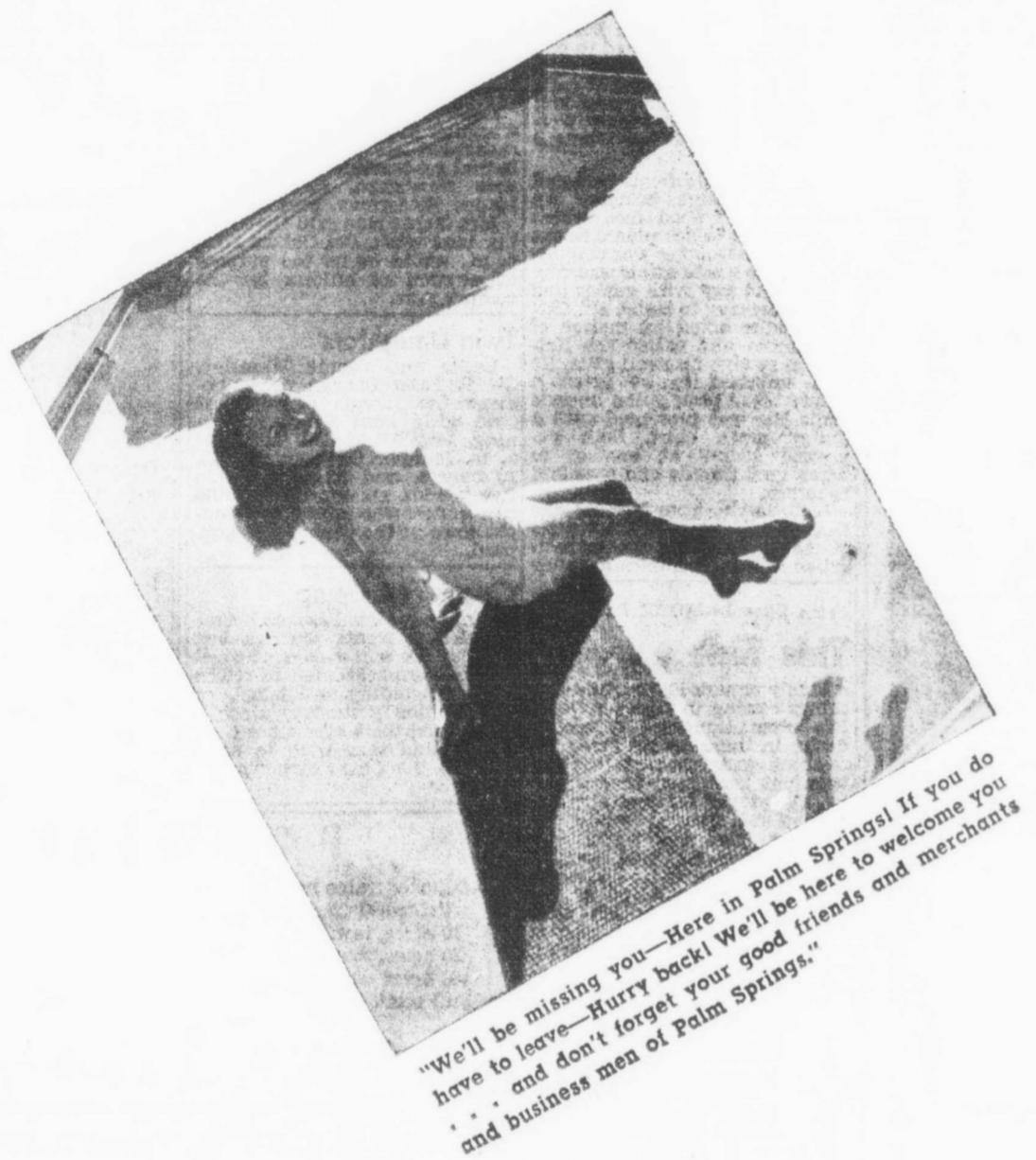
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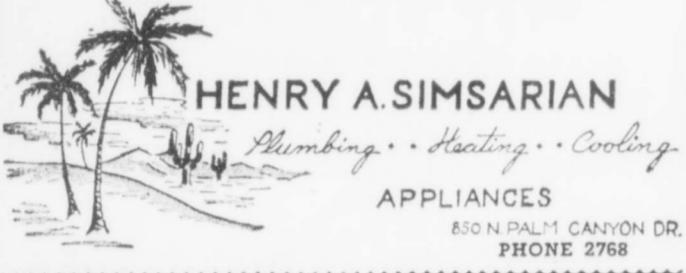
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Editorial

HOME ECONOMIES

Our school is getting bigger every year. We have added some new buildings, one of which encloses a new home economics room. It is very beautiful room with all of the modern facilities. Let's take care of it. We are the first to use this room and we don't want the students who will use it next year and in the years afterward to say that we didn't take good care of it. We are very lucky to have such a room and we want other classes to get as much pleasure out of it as we do.

There is a sewing department in the room too, and we should do our best to see that the machines are kept in order. We have all the modern sewing facilities too and we should keep them nice and new looking for the girls who will come after us.

If we do our best to keep this room in the best order then we will have something to be proud of when we come back next year. We will have something to show the freshmen and we will try to teach them to take good care of it as we have.

The taxpayer will say, "Look at the mess they've made of their new buildings. We spend lots of money trying to give them something to be proud of and do we get thanks for it? No! They've acted just like a bunch of first graders who don't know any better than to tear up everything."

I know we don't want people saying that about us so let's be sure they don't by keeping the new home economics room like new. Not only do we want to keep it clean ourselves, we want other classes to come to keep it just as clean as we have. If we do this we will always be proud of the new home economics room.—Wanda Jones.

G-DAY NEXT WEEK

A week from today is not D-Day, but G-Day—or Graduation Day. Yes, there is exactly one more week of the 'le grind, then 'escape.' But the fact remains that this one last week is one of great importance to all students because it holds the final blow—Exams!

These exams are the most important in that they test your endurance as well as your intelligence. The point is, don't buckle under now or you're sunk. Give these last grading chances the 'ole fight no matter how "fee-jus" it appears.

Final report cards are mailed during the summer, so start off your vacation right by doing your level best on exams. If you bog down you will inevitably worry about your final grade 'til you receive your card—then you'll really worry!

So, take one deep breath and brace yourself for the parting tribute before bidding the Alma Mater loud farewell!—Brownie Browne.

New Library

In order to give the incoming freshmen an idea of how part of our school works, Mrs. Peterson's eighth grade class has been visiting in the new library. Last week four of the English classes were able to visit each afternoon for one period. During this time Mrs. Roxie Bohrer, the librarian, explained the use of index card files, and other references. This was to acquaint the students with the use of the library so that it will be at their use early next year.

The students were very good guests since they were quiet and orderly and all of them enjoyed their visits.

Election



NORMAN RASMUSSEN
Student Body President

Audience Loves Charley's Aunt

By CRAIG HAMMOND

Speaking from the viewpoint of one who saw the senior play "Charley's Aunt" under very normal conditions, because he forgot that it was his journalism assignment, I would like to say that the same play, presented in the Frances Stevens auditorium last Friday and Saturday nights (and directed by John Schwendiman, Nancy Nye, and Alexander Hammond) was really a rare piece of drama—howlingly funny, and a beautiful feather in the cap of this year's graduating class.

The play revealed to all in the audience that PSHS has a first rate actor in Joey Flavin, or Charley's aunt, who's impersonation of the aunt, Dona Lucia, wroth 101 laughs from the eager house of playgoers.

The two boys behind all the merry-making were Jack Chesney played by Jim Wills, and Charles Wykeham played by Nichols, two Oxford seniors, who, in their desperation to win the hearts of Kitty Verdun and Amy Spettigue, dressed as Lord Fancourt Babberly, whom they appropriately called "Babs," in a very antiquated old lady's outfit, put a wig on his head and hurriedly explained to the befuddled young man that he was to impersonate Charley's multi-millionaire aunt who hails from Brazil, where the nuts come from. "Babs," never a man to brood over circumstances, decided to make the most of the situation, and did. Things were kept down to a college roar until Sir Frances Chesney, Jack's father, played by Chuck Wilson, paid a visit to his son to tell him that family funds were nil. When Sir Chesney learned about the old rich widow, plans began to form in his mind, and until he actually saw the fake aunt, the thought of such a marriage pleased him. Merc looks, however, did not stop Ben Chaffey, who, as Stephen Spettigue, guardian of Kitty and Amy, apparently say only dolor signs before his eyes as he chased young "Babs" around the Oxford campus.

During the height of confusion the real Dona Lucia finally arrived and, to the supreme disappointment of Stephen Spettigue, good-naturedly revealed herself as the authentic aunt of Charley and the one-time sweetheart of Sir Chesney with whom she had met and secretly fallen in love many years before. With her she brought her adopted niece, Ella Delahay, and she and "Babs" (then out of his costume) having met before and having also previously fallen in love, fell in line with the rest of the lovers. The final curtain fell with four couples, three servants, and one lost soul, that of poor old Spettigue, standing on the stage.

Two different girl's casts were used in the presenting of Charley's Aunt. The first on Friday night was as follows: Kitty Verdun, Barbara Jones, Amy Spettigue, Ann Welles, Ella Delahay, Adele Woods, Dona Lucia, Barbara Thompson, and Maud. Mr. Spettigue's housekeeper was played both nights by Mable Potter.

Saturday night the other cast took over and they were: Kitty Verdun, Pat Fowler; Amy Spettigue, Audrey Bentsen; Ella Delahay, Donella Knupp; and Dona Lucia, Barbara Thompson.

The only two characters in the play that have not yet been mentioned were two man servants, Brasset and Farmer.

Diving and swimming rate higher than anything else he likes to do; while apple pie is his favorite dish.

Ted, as he is nick-named, has hazel eyes, brown hair, is six feet tall, and of all the amazing accomplishments for a young man—he knits!

He would like very much to

go to UCLA and later enter a profession—"Maybe a doctor or a lawyer," he says.

We wish him luck in anything he wishes to do, for he's a wonderful guy and we know you all think so too. Good luck Chuck Wilson.

Plan for New Season

Cathedral City chamber of commerce held its first meeting under the direction of the new officers elected early this month Tuesday evening at the Town Hall. Ward Moon presided with Robert Sherrill, secretary, and Claude Cobb, treasurer. Little formal business was conducted as the meeting was almost wholly devoted to formulating plans and objectives for the coming season. Acquiring Sunair Park late in this season was and means to improve the land to bring it to its greatest usefulness in the shortest time were discussed. The chamber appropriated money for a roadway in the site and also grading to prevent sand from filling trenches where rows of trees are set.

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Streets of Cathedral City are laid out in true directions with the State Highway bisecting many of them at various angles which poses a problem of triangles formed at intersections. How to care for these plots to prevent unsightliness and to make the highway more attractive was discussed and was finally referred to the committee on streets, headed by L. C. Lewis, former president of the chamber. Lewis will contact county officials and present a constructive program at the next meeting of the chamber.

How to attract and retain winter visitors was discussed and referred to three committees for study and recommendations. President Moon said one of his principal objectives will be to foster closer relationship between people of the community and the

chamber to build a better community and make Cathedral City more desirable to residents and tourists and to hold and increase local business. He said any member or the chamber would be welcomed to any of the regular meetings and be given an opportunity to be heard. For persons who do not care to present matters formally before the board he asked that they present the matter to him and if within the jurisdiction of the chamber, it will be presented to the directors for decision.

Because many people are leaving for Summer vacations, President Moon said the last regular meeting of the chamber until the beginning of the Fall season in October, will be held June 7.

Lions Club Installs

In the Town Hall Tuesday evening Lions club installed newly elected officers at a Ladies' Night affair with sixty-seven persons seated at the flower-decked U-shaped tables. President Claude Cobb introduced William Veith, zone chairman from Palm Springs, who spoke briefly and then introduced Robert McCown, deputy district governor from 29 Palms. McCown urged all Lions to attend the district convention in San Diego and introduced James McDill of San Bernardino, slated to be the district governor for the coming year, who proceeded with the installation ceremonies. Calling both retiring and new officers to the speakers table he thanked those who had guided

the club for the last year, indicated the duties to be performed by each new officer, congratulated each on his election and turned the gavel over to John S. (Jack) Hillery. Mrs. Louise Hennes sang two beautiful numbers and responded to an encore. Hillery presented gifts from the club to Mrs. Lloyd Simon, Mrs. Robert McGowen, Mrs. James McDill, Louise Hennes and Mrs. Warner Moon.

Among the Lions and families going to San Diego for the district convention are the Cobbs, Hillerys and Larrisons who drove down Thursday and the Wolseths going today with Jack Hillery planning to fly there Saturday noon.

Community Party

Sunday night will long be remembered in Cathedral City as the time when the three largest civic groups united to give a party—the Womans club, the chamber of commerce and the Lions club. It started out as a farewell party for Lester and Bessie Kelley, prominent in civic and social life during their seven years' stay and who are leaving to make their home in Bakersfield. Then it was decided to pay honor to Warner Moon, new president of the chamber of commerce, to Jack Hillery, president of the Lions club and Mary Wolseth, president of the Womans club.

More than 100 friends gathered at Desert Lodge bringing an abundance of good food which was eaten at tables placed in the garden. The weather was delightful and the whole affair was very festive and gay with games and square dancing to finish off. Carl roll Waller acted as master of ceremonies and called the Kiel leys to receive farewell gifts. He was surprised to be given a dainty bit of pink nylon lingerie while she was presented with a Kelley green shirt. Both expressed sorrow at leaving so many good friends and promised to return.

L. C. Lewis, president of the Desert Associates, spoke briefly of the objectives of that organization which resembles a valley

From Page 1—MORE ABOUT

This Side . . .

a kindly remark last night about things coming to pass for which I've often expressed a wistful desire in these essays started a re-check and revealed that my blessings here have been many.

I've yipped for neutral colors instead of glaring white for buildings and side walks.

There are some cool looking greens and browns up and down the Drive now instead of the glistening whites which were hard on the eyes. Once or twice I've expressed the wish for benches. They're here.

Street trees and lights are coming.

I've often thought the Village should have a float in the Rose Parade.

We're going to . . . Western Week is a fixture.

Clean up days are a fact.

What brought this all about was that Wednesday night, among the things Ed Landfield said the new Retail Merchants association might do was to decide on whether to close stores during summer time, say from two to four p. m. each day.

That's the Siesta Hour that I've often wished for. . . . Yup, life is good in Palm Springs. . . . But before peeking another series of peeks at this type-writer, would set forth here and now—I did not express a wish for parking meters.

They had better keep the police force on full time during the summer.

Sign on Palm Springs Village theater marquee this week: "Homicide continues from 1:45 . . . Wish they'd fix a storm drain at Andreas and the Drive, southeast corner . . . That's where the water accumulates and that's where goon-boy drivers swish around the corner and scatter muddy driplets over my clean pants . . . We're slipping . . . There was an earthquake in Los Angeles the other day and the L. A. News did not come out with big headlines: "Quake Rocks Palm Springs."

And I want to thank the kind women who offered to make my bed for me . . . They're made.

We started out with May.

May we close with May? . . . According to old-timers this has been so far one of the finest Mays on record . . . And they are all nice . . . Stanton Griffing reminds me that two or three years back, June was just like this.

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A letter of resignation was read at the city council meeting this week from Councilman Gordon Feekeings (present) in which he set forth his resignation as ex-officio member of the planning commission.

By resolution of the council the matter was accepted with instructions to the city clerk to thank him by official letter for his work with the commission.

Cigaret Blamed For Auto Blaze

Firemen attributed the fire of a car at 467 Via Lola Saturday afternoon to a cigarette in the upholstery. Owned by the Hill U-Drive of N. Cherokee, Hollywood, the vehicle was said to have been rented by George Semenuke. Damage was estimated at \$55.

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FOR BEAUTIFUL CITY
Editor, The Sun: In the May issue of Readers Digest there is an article on civic improvement entitled "She Opened the Eyes of Texas" which may well stand as a challenge to all small towns, particularly those in California which rely heavily upon the impressions received by numerous visitors.

If the city of Howe, Texas, with a population of 546 persons could boast of two city parks, surely it is time for Palm Springs as a community to respond to the needs and enjoyment of its own citizens as well as to those of the visiting thousands.

We all must be proud of our action recently taken in voting our bonds for various splendid improvements.

However, it will take time to complete these plans. In the meantime we may be overlooking other sources of hastening the time when Palm Springs can be a truly beautiful and hospitable community which will draw the kind of home owner and visitor we can most appreciate.

We have one or two clean-ups per year. That is far too few.

We have fine youth organizations in Palm Springs generously supported by its public spirited citizens. These young people could find no more inspired way of showing their appreciation of this support than by starting a project next Fall to work out an organization plan for civic beautifications and clean-up in which all of us should co-operate. It need not cost a lot of money either.

Through example we can all learn not to scatter papers, empty bottles, cans and other unsightly refuse along our desert trails, streets and highways. Our young peoples' organizations can become monitors of this effort.

If we have guests who are careless in leaving indications of their week-end visits, by patient and consistent clean-ups, strategic placing of trash receptacles and courteous signs, we will soon find them responding to our own urge to have Palm Springs the finest and cleanest and most beautiful desert resort and community in the land.

YOU'RE WELCOME

Editor, Desert Sun: Mrs. Edna Brott, president of the Palm Springs Order of the Eastern Star Luncheon Club, and her officers wish to heartily thank you for the splendid co-operation you have given us this past season.

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Ike Walton League Looks Into Lake Hemet Debate

San Jacinto Mountain chapter of the Izaak Walton League initiated steps to investigate the recent controversy over fishing at Lake Hemet this week and Lewis Warren was appointed to gather data on the matter.

Sportswriters' clubs of southern California have protested the stocking by the division of fish and game of strictly private bodies of water. They have recommended to the fish and game commission that fish raised by the state hatcheries be planted only in waters open to the public.

The state hatcheries are maintained out of funds created by angling and hunting licenses. More than 11,500 catchable size trout were planted in Lake Hemet since last season. They were raised at the Fillmore and Victorville state hatcheries. Both admission and boat fees are charged at Lake Hemet.

District Ranger Don Bauer outlined the background of the Lake Hemet affair to the mountain sportsmen group. He stated that certain concessions were made

during the early days by the U.S. Forest Service to the lake owners. One of these was that all boats on the lake would be regulated by the owners. Although most of the fishable part of the lake is on private land, Bauer declared that the U.S. Forest Service does maintain a strip open to the public free of charge.

Study Facilities For Big League Clubs in Village

A big league ball club committee has been appointed and is now operating with the chamber of commerce for the purpose of making surveys of facilities needed by big league baseball in training, with an eye towards acquiring or at least attracting teams to the Village, holding its first meeting last Monday.

The state hatcheries are maintained out of funds created by angling and hunting licenses. More than 11,500 catchable size trout were planted in Lake Hemet since last season. They were raised at the Fillmore and Victorville state hatcheries. Both admission and boat fees are charged at Lake Hemet.

District Ranger Don Bauer outlined the background of the Lake Hemet affair to the mountain sportsmen group. He stated that certain concessions were made

P. S. Girls Win Over Beaumont, Boys Defeated

Palm Springs and Beaumont high school tennis teams split evenly in matches last week, the girls' team winning their first encounter in scholastic play while the boys bowed to Beaumont.

Too many outside divisions including the senior play, swimming competition and the winding up of the school year, due next week, has interfered with season's play said John Weeks, coach, and the results have been disappointing.

Last season the Indian netters swept the county loop.

The boys squad lost to Beaumont 12 to 14 while the girls won, 18 to 8.

Results—
BOYS MATCHES
Single—Chaffey, PS, d. Homes, B, 6-1, 6-1; WOMAC, B, d. Nichols, PS, 6-4, 6-3; Kressel, B, d. Purcell, PS, 6-1, 6-4; Stiver, B, d. Bond, PS, 7-5, 3-6, 6-2.
Doubles—Chaffey and Nichols, PS, d. Homes and WOMAC, B, 6-4, 7-5; Haecker and Kressel, B, d. Hanes and PS, 6-4, 6-0.

GIRLS MATCHES

Single—Du Pree, B, d. Small, PS, 7-9, 6-0, 6-4; Cordrey, PS, d. WOMAC, B, 4-6, 6-4; Weinstein, B, d. Woods, PS, 6-0, 6-0; Greeley, PS, d. Ormsby, B, 6-4, 6-4.
Doubles—Small and Cordrey, PS, d. Du Pree, B, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4; Detzer and Jaynes, PS, d. Jacobs and Bailey, B, 6-0, 6-1.

The matches closed scholastic competition for three members of the boys team—Ben Chaffey, Nicky Nichols and Frank Purcell—and for one member of the girls team, Adele Woods.

P. S. Music Five Moves to Top

In the only remaining bowling league in play the Wednesday night house league of four teams is now entering its sixth week of competition with a new leader. The Palm Springs Music company who moved up this week by virtue of a 3-0 win over Saddle and Sirloin. The Lee Bering team is still in third spot although it won 2-1 over the former leaders, Palm Canyon Cafe, which took the setback from tops to be replaced by the musicians.

Present standings are:

	W	L
P. S. Music	10	5
Palm Canyon Cafe	9	6
Lee Bering's	7	8
Saddle and Sirloin	4	11

The league is now at the half-way mark in its 10-week schedule which will finish June 22.

Miss Jahn in Pasadena Play

Laura Lou Jahn, Palm Desert's cute, 16-year-old contribution to the better things in tennis, will vie tomorrow in the Southern California tournament at Pasadena in spite of a setback from her old nemesis, Betty Struthers, who beat her earlier this week 8-6, 6-4.

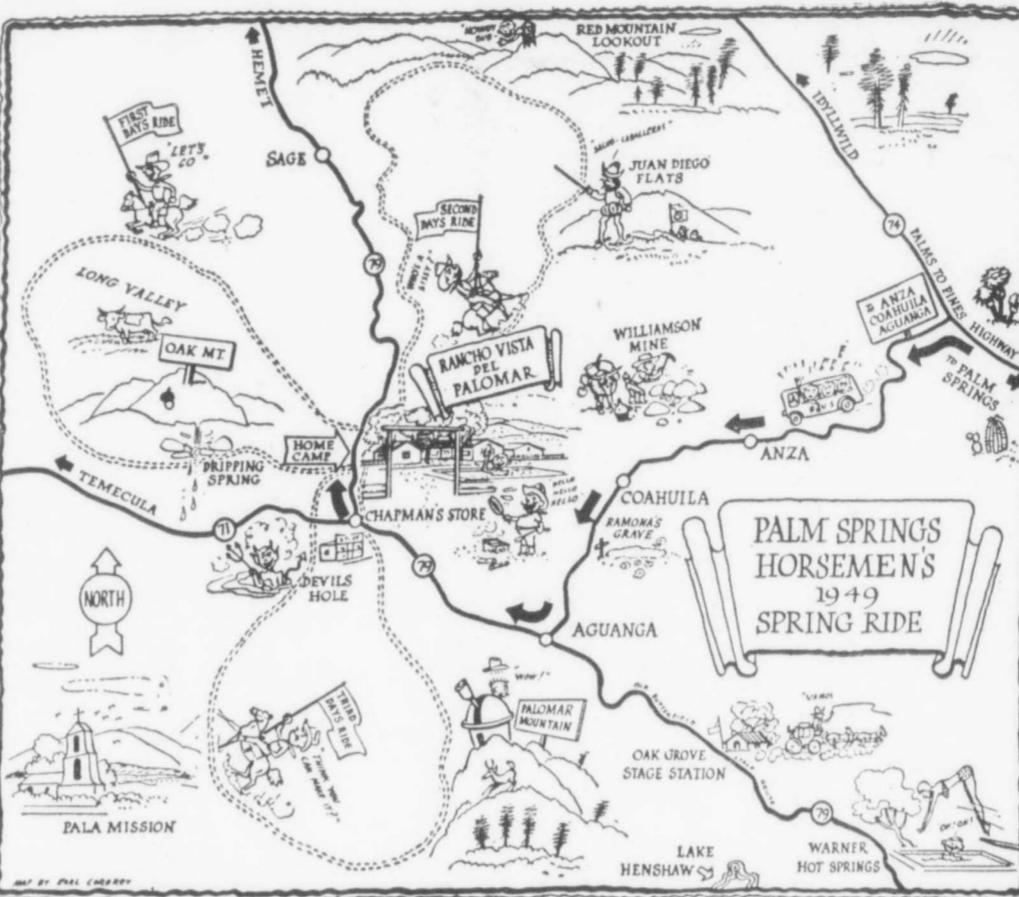
Seeded third in the lineup of fine contestants, Laura Lou is determined, according to her father-coach, Les Jahn of Shadow Mountain, to become number one the hard way—by "mowing 'em down" at Pasadena.

In addition, there will be another Jahn-coached child tennis prodigy entered in the tournament, 10-year-old Les Jahn Jr., who "Pappy" believes to be a chip off the old racquet and who will make a name in tennis all his own in the years to come.

Joint Session is Planned for Finale

Palm Springs Lions will officially close the season in a joint meeting with the Anaheim Club.

Date and place for the session will be decided this week.



WHO'S A SISY—That's the question asked by Artist Earl Cordrey on behalf of the rider above setting out on the second day of travel from the Rancho Vista del Palomar as he pictorially depicts the three days of riding by the P. S. Horsemen's association next Wednesday through Saturday in the beautifully historic Santa Rosa Mountains. About 50 community leaders will make up the party.

Horsemen Await Great Ride

Rancho Vista del Palomar, a 4000-acre domain in the scenic and historic Santa Rosa mountains, will next week be the Mecca of about 50 members of the Palm Springs division of the California Horsemen's association as they leave here Wednesday morning for the area on a four-day ride.

The group will be headed by its president, Phil Delano and Tony Burke, vice president who also handles the publicity for the organization, states it will be one of the finest groups ever to go on the annual ride. Applications will not be considered after today, according to Burke, and Barney Hinkle, who is in charge of the reservations, states

there is room for only a very few more due to space limitation at the ranch.

In addition to the list of 28 listed Tuesday, the following have also signified their intent to make the trek: Hugh T. Harrison, of Oakland, Screen Actor Raymond Hatton, Newton S. Hotchkiss, Eugene S. Hughes of the Palm House, Councilman D. Smith, Irving T. Snyder, and Earle Streber are listed.

Paul W. Trousdale, nationally-famous builder and developer has signified his intent to fork a cayuse on the jaunt and the remaining member of "the newies" not previously listed is Claude Valer.

Also planning on taking part in the trip are the two hosts.

Boys Club Plans To Stage Active Softball Season

Plans for the summer softball season and the Boys Club party in the annual recreational program at the Field Club will be discussed tonight at a big gathering of boys interested in the program.

The meeting will be held at the Boys Clubhouse and there will be movies, entertainment and refreshments as well as discussion of the program. All boys, aged 6 to 16, whether members

of the club or not, are invited.

Frank Partridge, executive director of the club, will outline the plans for the formation of softball teams for the boys of different ages. There will be at least four Midget teams, and one or two Junior teams and one Senior team.

Games will be played at the Field Club on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, beginning at seven o'clock.

It is planned to have all teams in uniform, each team sponsored by one local merchant. The full list of sponsors will be published later. Any one interested in sponsoring a team, should get in touch with Frank Partridge at 3402.

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